

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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ESTATE OF ELEANOR E. WILDHABER,
by and through its Special Administrator,
Greg Halbrook; and GREG HALBROOK,
individually,

Case No. 2:10-cv-00015-MMD-PAL

ORDER

Plaintiffs,

v.

LIFE CARE CENTERS OF AMERICA,
INC., a Tennessee corporation, d/b/a Life
Care Center of Las Vegas; DOE STAFF
MEBMERS; ROE CORPORATIONS I
through X, inclusive; and DOES I through
X, inclusive,

Defendants.

The Court received the attached letter in the mail. However, no action will be taken as this case is closed and the Court cannot give legal advice.

DATED THIS 9th day of December 2014.


MIRANDA M. DU
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Mrs Vicki Porter

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Woodhaven, Michigan 48183

Phone 734-934-2016

October 15, 2014

Dear Judge,

I am writing this letter in hope of understanding a terrible injustice. My brother along with my assistance hired a lawyer whose name we found in the bar association for Nevada. It is hard to find a good lawyer when you are not in that state. This Lawyer took a \$500 retainer and that was the end of him. My brother lives solely on his social security. For him \$500 was alot of money but he trusted the lawyer would do the right thing. We never hear from the attorney and the mail comes back to us unclaimed. The lawyer is Paul Schofield 8440 W Lake Mead Blvd. Ste.200 Las Vegas, Nevada 89128.

My brother (Clifford Daly) was married to Eleanor Wildhaber-Daly for over 15 yrs. In August of 2008 Clifford had a triple bypass open chest cardiac surgery. Two months later Eleanor had a stroke. She was hospitalized and Cliff was at her side daily. She did not do well and was transferred to Life Care Centers of America. On December 30, 2008 she expired. Clifford complained often to everyone about her mistreatment but mostly to her son (Greg Hallbrook). Greg was a son from a previous marriage and he and Clifford never got along.

After Eleanor's death I came to Las Vegas to help my brother. Clifford is mentally slow and he was suffering from major surgery and the death of his wife. He was unable to cope without his wife and so I took him back with me to Michigan where he could have family support.

Greg Hallbrook got a lawyer and sued Life Care Centers under the name of Eleanor Wildhaber. He didn't even let the courts know Clifford existed. Her legal name was Eleanor Wildhaber-Daly. Greg was awarded \$4,530,091.00 signed by Judge Miranda

M. Du on October 25, 2012. Greg knew Clifford couldn't read and the case was posted in the Nevada Times Review, when he knew Clifford had left the state. It is my understanding that Greg recieved all the money from the judgement. He also recieved 300 thousand from money awarded to her estate by the state. Mr Schofield did tell us that money was to be divided between her two heirs which would have been Clifford and Greg. We were told that even that money was cleared out by Greg Hallbrook.

Clifford lives in a government subsidized senior citizen complex. His social security is barely enough to squeeze by on. I don't see the justice in someone getting almost 5 million dollars when he didn't support his mother or care for her when she was alive. Greg wouldn't even have filed that suit if it wasn't for Clifford. Greg knew Clifford couldn't read or write so he took full advantage of it and never included Clifford in on the law suit.

Greg's attorney was Michael H. Singer. This is a very unscrupulous man. He called Clifford and told him he would send a letter and that Clifford must sign off all rights to the estate. Clifford refused and so Mr. Singer told him "fine we will just find away around you". He certainly did just that.

Is there any way I can help my brother? If he got just a small amount it would make his quality of life alot better. If he gets nothing I would still like to see some justice come to people who bend the law for their own gain.

Sincerely,

PS Clifford worked as a security guard at the Stardust.

He worked as a clerk in a seven eleven.

He worked as a guard at a residential complex.

They were small jobs but he always provided and took care of his wife for over 15yrs. They were happily married at the time of her death!

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October 25, 2012	63	FINAL JUDGMENT in favor of Plaintiff Estate of Eleanor E. Wildhaber and Greg Hallbrook against Defendant Life Care Centers of America, Inc., in the amount \$4,530,091.00. Signed by Judge Miranda M. Du on 10/25/2012. (Copies have been distributed pursuant to the NEF - SLD)
October 23, 2012	61	ORDER Granting 44 Motion for Confirmation of Private Binding Arbitration Award and Entry of Judgment. Plaintiff shall file a proposed final judgment within ten days from the date of this Order. FURTHER ORDERED that 50 Motion to Vacate and Modify Arbitration Award is DENIED. Signed by Judge Miranda M. Du on 10/23/12. (Copies have been distributed pursuant to the NEF - MMM)
April 16, 2012	42	ORDER re: 41 Objection to Subpoena Duces Tecum. Signed by Magistrate Judge Peggy A. Leen on 4/13/12. (Copies have been distributed pursuant to the NEF - ASB)
October 5, 2011	39	ORDER Denying 35 Defendant's Motion to Quash and 37 Motion for Protective Order. Signed by Magistrate Judge Peggy A. Leen on 10/4/11. (Copies have been distributed pursuant to the NEF - EDS)
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		ORDER ON STIPULATION Granting 32 Stipulation STAYING Litigation Pending Private Binding Arbitration. Signed by Chief Judge Roger L. Hunt on 8/30/2010. (Copies have been distributed pursuant to the NEF - SD)
July 15, 2010	28	ORDER that Defendants Motion to Stay Proceedings and Compel Arbitration 16 is DENIED without prejudice. Counsel for Plaintiffs request to depose the two nurses present at the time Plaintiffs decedent executed the arbitration and other agreements is GRANTED. Counsel shall forthwith meet and confer to schedule these two depositions as expeditiously as possible. A hearing is set for 8/12/10 at 9:00 a.m. At the continued hearing, the court will hear from the parties concerning the results of their deposition discovery, and their proposals for how to proceed. Signed by Magistrate Judge Peggy A. Leen on 7/13/10. (Copies have been distributed pursuant to the NEF - ECS)

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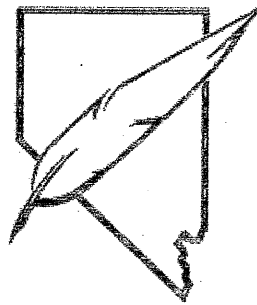
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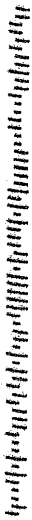
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